



Bethany Lutheran

Quarter 1
Sept. 16, 2022

Middle School Newsletter
September 19 through September 23

Pizza Friday—September 23

On Friday, September 23 we will be having Pizza Friday. Order forms will be going out tomorrow. Order forms and EXACT PAYMENT are due Wednesday the 21st. There will be no late orders (please do not ask) but there will be other opportunities in the future.

Upcoming Events:

Sept. 6-Oct. 19	Annual Apples for the Arts Pie Sale Fundraiser Begins
Sept. 14, 21, 28	4th-6th Gr. Growing in Faith After School Meeting—3pm
Sept. 23	Hot Lunch Friday
Sept. 30	Minimum Day, Dismissal at Noon Extended Care Offered—your child must have a lunch & snack



If you have not already ordered school pictures there is still time.

The most efficient and cost-friendly way to order is to visit mydorian.com, search for your school, click the green **Order** button that corresponds with your school picture day and place your order. This option is available for up to four (4) days after picture day.

Once all of the images have been processed. Any student that has not ordered will receive an email with a unique access code and instructions to preview their image and place an order. All orders placed using the unique access code will be shipped directly to the student’s home.

Did you miss picture day or want to retake your picture?

Your school’s retake day date is: **(Wed. Nov. 2)** A student wishing to have their picture retaken should bring their original picture package back to school and return it to the photographer on retake picture day.

Digital downloads are delivered based on how you ordered.

If you ordered an image download online, you will receive an email with access to your image once it is ready. If you ordered with an envelope, you will receive your download instructions when packages are distributed at the school.



All classes: I will not be here Friday, September 23, so there will be no aftermath that day.



Bible: This coming week the students will be working through the next few lessons in the book. The Bible verse on Friday will be Isaiah 55:10-11.

Math 1: We will finish up through Lesson 15, then there will be a test on lessons 1-10 this coming Tuesday. Afterwards, we will work on the next investigation, and the students will get back their graded tests on Friday to work on corrections.

Math 2: We will finish up through Lesson 15, then there will be a test on lessons 1-10 this coming Tuesday. Afterwards, we will work on the next investigation, and the students will

get back their graded tests on Friday to work on corrections.

Math 3: We will finish up through Lesson 15, then there will be a test on lessons 1-10 this coming Wednesday. Afterwards, we will work on the next investigation, and the students will get back their graded tests on Friday to work on corrections.

6th Grade Science: This coming week we will be working through lesson 2, which is about different molecules in cells.

7th/8th Grade Science: This coming week we will be finishing up lesson 2, including the lesson review.

Ms. Cindy's Sixth grade homeroom/MS English/ Music appreciation
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Homeroom: Next week we will be focusing on a bible art project more than working in the book. We started studying the first 18 chapters of the exodus. The art project will be to create a comic book about any one chapter in the first 18. They will be sharing it with their classmates and will have plenty of time to work on it in class.

This week's bible verse is 1 John 4:16 . They will be tested on it on Friday.

English 6: We will be learning about motifs, themes and symbols in English this week. In order to do so, I have decided to use Greek Mythology as a good literary reference since themes are so obvious in these types of stories. We will eventually go on to writing our own mythical story.

Wednesday their argumentative final drafts will be due. We have gone over expectations for this essay and they know what needs to be done. I am also planning on working on Khan Academy as practice for

grammar. They will be needing headphones for certain videos they will be assigned to watch in class and tests they might be asked to take as practice.

Monday they will have a write 3x, definition, and sentence to accompany their spelling/vocabulary terms and it will always be due on Tuesday Reading logs will be due every Friday. I already have students with missing assignments. Those students are aware of what they are missing and should be working on them. Please look over your students' grades and see if there is anything they are missing.

spelling/ vocab words: accumulate, catastrophe, drastic, elaborate, ferocious, irrigate, oblivious, recount, frequency, unanimous, excel, hoax, inept, siege, swarm, salvage, rigorous

English 7: We will be learning about motifs, themes and symbols in English this week. In order to do so, I have decided to use Greek Mythology as a good literary reference since themes are so obvious in these types of stories. We will eventually go on to writing our own mythical story.

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spelling/ vocab words: acclaim, antagonize, gaudy, gruesome, beseech, dismal, figment, hurtle, insinuate, mull, nimble, sullen, shirk, ponder, rupture, trivial, vengeance

English 8: We will be learning about motifs, themes and symbols in English this week. In order to do so, I have decided to use Greek Mythology as a good literary reference since themes are so obvious in these types of stories. We will eventually go on to writing our own mythical story.

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spelling/ vocab words: ambivalent, cynic, depict, elude, feasible, lucrative, obscure, niche, punitive, redundant, scrutiny, feign, retaliate, pertinent, bereft, reiterate, disparage, opulent

Music Appreciation: They have started the Hawaiian music unit. This is a note heavy class and I expect them to be working on that skill. We will be continuing the Hawaiian music unit and diving deeper into the songs and their lyrics. We were highly focused on the history and how we got to where we are now.

Lesley Cortes - Spanish Classes

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6th, 7th and 8th Grades' homework:

* Study this week's vocabulary list for Monday's test.

* Work on the Hispanic country project, which celebrates its independence during this month of September.

Project submission dates:

- Thursday September 22:
 1. Chile,
 2. Costa Rica,
 3. El Salvador
 4. Guatemala
- Thursday September 29:
 5. Honduras,
 6. Mexico
 7. Nicaragua

They need a piece of cardboard and meet the 5 requirements that were explained to them in class. They should do their research on it.

1. Name of the country.
2. Flag of the country and its meaning.
3. Date of independence of the country.
4. Nationality of the citizens of the country.
5. Examples of how they celebrate Independence Day in that country.

The work must be clean and clear. They can use clippings, drawings or whatever they can imagine to make a good presentation. And the most important thing is that they do it in Spanish.

Thank you!

Mrs. Abbate's MS History tina.abbate@gobethany.com

Week Of September 26th

6th Grade: We will be continuing Module 4. This module will be teaching us all about Geography and Early Egypt.

Homework for the week: Lesson Questions and Test review

Monday: Review Lesson 4, Vocabulary and Questions

Tuesday: Review Lesson 5, Vocabulary and Questions

Wednesday: Test Review Activity

Thursday: Test Review

Friday: Module 4 Test

7th/8th Grade: This coming week we will be starting Module 4 . This module will be teaching us all about the American Revolution.

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Monday: Review Lesson 4, Vocabulary and Questions

Tuesday: Review Lesson 5, Vocabulary and Questions

Wednesday: Test Review Activity

Thursday: Test Review

Friday: Module 4 Test

Ms. Kayla's Technology Class kayla.blair@gobethany.com

This week, we finished our All About Me presentations and started our magazine covers on Canva. Students were tasked with creating a magazine cover for a topic of their choosing (sports, culinary, tech, videogame, etc)

Homework -Continue working on magazine cover. Due at end of class on Tuesday 9/20

Coach Kay's Life Skills (Robotics) Class kayla.blair@gobethany.com

This week, students researched their dream jobs. They were tasked with finding the salary, necessary education, skills and experience needed for their dream jobs. On Wednesday, students built a budget based on the salary of their dream job. They were able to see what type of home, car, etc that they could afford.

Next week for Life Skills, we will continue with our budget and write a 250 word statement on what they learned in this whole process.

Homework - None

Coach. Kay's P.E. Class Kayla.blair@gobethany.com

This week we continued our frisbee unit. We played Frisbee baseball which is the exact same thing as regular baseball, except we throw a frisbee instead of hitting a ball. Students of all ages really enjoyed it.

Next week we will continue the last week of our frisbee unit. Students are reminded to bring a water bottle to school each day and make sure they are drinking water throughout the day. Reminder - all middle schoolers must dress out in PE uniform for PE (blue, gray t-shirt | blue, gray shorts or sweatpants)

Homework - None